









# The Avalanche

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FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1886.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

### Selling, Hanson & Co.'s Price List

(Correspondence Weekly.)

Days No. 2 white, per bushel, 45 cents.  
Hay, No. 1 timothy, per ton, \$15 00.  
Straw, per ton, 12 00.  
Raw wool, No. 2, per ton, 21 00.  
Brass, per ton, 18 00.  
Key Brand, roller, per barrel, 5 50.  
Star Brand, roller, per barrel, 5 50.  
Oar Roller Process, per barrel, 5 00.  
Excelsior, four per barrel, 4 50.  
Buckshot Flour, per hundred pounds \$3.00.  
Extra Moss beef, per barrel, 9 00.  
Meat pork, per barrel, 12 50.  
Reduced lard, per pound, 9 cents.  
Yams, sugar cured, per pound, 5 cents.  
Breakfast bacon, per pound, 6 cents.  
Mince meat, per pound, 6 cents.  
Clear pork, slices, per pound, 10 1/2 cts.  
Mess pork, per pound, 6 cents.  
Extra sweet corn, per pound, 4 cents.  
Dried Beef, per pound, 13 cents.  
Lard, per pound, 6 cents.  
Tender dry butter, per pound, 14 1/2 cts.  
O. J. Java, ground, per pound, 31 cents.  
Mocha, ground, per pound, 35 cents.  
E. C. & Co.'s Mexican coffee per lb., 25 cents.  
E. C. & Co.'s Arabica coffee per lb., 30 cts.  
Teas, green, per pound, 25 to 50 cents.  
Sugar, yellow, per pound, 7 cents.  
Sugar, extra C, per pound, 7 1/2 cts.  
Sugar, granulated, per pound, 8 cents.  
Sugar, cut loaf, per pound, 10 cents.  
Sugar, powdered, per pound, 11 cents.  
Oil, water white, per gallon, 30 cents.  
Potatoes, per bushel, 20 cents.  
Beans, hand picked, per bushel, 1 50.  
Teas, green, per bushel 1 80.  
Syrup, maple, per gallon, 1 00.  
N. C. molasses, per gallon, 40 cents.  
Molasses, per gallon 35 cents.

Advertise in the AVALANCHE.

Buy your Drugs at Finns.

Subscribe to the AVALANCHE.

Mrs. Geo. Chesbro is seriously indisposed from an attack of rheumatism.

Pay for the AVALANCHE.

The finest line of Groceries in town at Finns.

Thanks to Dr. Roffee for a fine lot of grayling.

Finns now keeps a choice line of vegetables.

Miss Olive Clegggett, of Richmond, is visiting Brother Sidney and family.

Spring Styles Carpets and Mattings at Traver's Furniture Rooms.

J. H. Edgeman and family left for Benton Harbor on last Monday.

The best and cheapest Paints in the World, at Traver's Drug Store.

W. Alger has put up an addition to his residence on Peninsular Avenue.

Great bargains in Boys and Girls Clothing at Finns.

Rev. L. Jensen, of Wisconsin, preached for the Lutheran society on last Sunday Evening.

For sale by O. Palmer. Call and examine them.

E. Purchase and his daughter, Miss Fannie returned from a visit to friends in Saginaw, last Saturday.

Large stock of Furniture in Country, at Traver's Furniture Rooms, and will be sold the cheapest.

Charles Saunders has built an addition to his residence on Ogumaw street.

M. E. Hagerman, of Beaver Creek, says he has a field of Millet that will sweep every other field in the County.

Remember if you want a fine pair of Shoes, go to Finns. He keeps a full line of Seamless Shoes.

Buy Hellebore for current worms. Paris Green for potato-bugs and insect powder for flies, bugs and mosquitos at Traver's Drug Store.

Rev. G. Sanderson, of Rosecommon, will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church next Sunday morning and evening.

Dr. E. M. Roffee, himself, will be pleased to show lots and give terms to all who propose to purchase lots in his addition to Grayling.

Messrs. Salling, Hanson & Co., sold a tract of pine in town 28 N. 2 W., last week for \$24,000 cash, to Rupp & Kerr.

Never were such bargains offered in the history of Grayling, as McCullough is giving his customers in Boots and Shoes. Give him a call.

D. London is erecting a stable in the rear of his residence on Michigan Avenue.

Jasper Hoyt has commenced the erection of a nice fence around his property, corner of Michigan Avenue and Spruce street.

Messrs. J. L. Wild and J. E. Hunn have built a commodious bath and boat house on the banks of the Au Sable close to Shopenagon's residence.

The Messrs. Hank are each building residences on Cedar Street, a short distance north of Sanderson's Hotel.

Our thanks are due Mrs. A. C. Wilcox for a fine bouquet which she presented us on last Saturday. As a cultist of flowers Mrs. W. is a success.

The cheapest place to purchase Drugs, Stationery, Confectionery or Cigars, is at the new Drug Store of L. Fournier & Co.

Mr. J. S. Harder went to C. Id water last Monday, taking with him four children to be placed in the State School in that city.

Henry Mantr and Brother are building a new winter camp on Section 36, 204, which they will run this coming winter.

R. D. Combe has built an addition to his residence, which increases its capacity to a considerable extent, as well as improving it.

Call at the AVALANCHE office and examine and purchase one of those world-renowned Ajax Cultivators. A Cultivator, Weeder, or Horse Hoe, is adjusted.

See the Mahdi Kids Shoes, for gentlemen, at McCullough's. They are the most elegant thing in foot-wear, ever brought to Grayling.

The report of the Superintendents of the Poor for Crawford County shows the amount expended for the year ending July 14th, to be \$650.92.

John London has rented and moved into J. O. Hadley's former residence on Cedar Street.

SHILOH'S CURE, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shilo's Cure is the remedy for you.

CATARRAH CURED, health and sweet breath secured by Shilo's Catarrh Remedy. Price 5 cents. Nasal Injector free. For sale by N. H. Traver.

T. H. Heath, of this township, is cutting a field of wheat this week, of nine acres, which he says will average 20 bushels to the acre. It is averaging 38 dozen to the acre, is well well headed and of good length.

Mr. F. C. Hicks, brother of G. H., arrived in town Monday, for a two weeks' visit. He proposes to devote the greater portion of his time to catching grayling.

Dr. E. M. Roffee and friends returned from their trip down the Au Sable on Monday. They caught about three hundred grayling and report having a good time.

Hogs are to be kept shut up hereafter. The next thing should be the impounding of cattle found on the street, as they are getting so many that they prefer walking on and disgracing the sidewalk.

For latest back, size of chest, see Shilo's Famous Plaster. Price 25 cents.

SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consumption. For sale by N. H. Traver.

Last year E. N. Salling, of Manistee, offered a 15,000,000 tract of pine land on the Au Sable for \$30,000, but could not find no takers. Monday he sold the place to Tiffany & Smith for \$45,000. —Detroit Journal.

Every member of Marvin Post, G. A. R. is requested to attend the regular meeting of the Post, on to-morrow (Friday) evening, July 23d, without fail.

The Saturday Night of Oscoda, says that Mr. Holmes, who has the contract for putting in the pipe for the water works at that place, is pushing Grayling to start a job there.

Charles Saunders has opened a Meat Market in connection with his Ice Cream Parlors. The combination is not very appropriate, but we wish him success in his new business.

E. King has purchased the property of S. Hempstead on the corner of Railroad and Ottawa streets, consideration \$700.00.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be quickly cured by Shilo's Cure. For sale by N. H. Traver.

WILL YOU SUFFER with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaints? Shilo's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale by N. H. Traver.

A private dispatch received at Bay City yesterday, (Monday) states that a large amount of standing pine in Otsego and Crawford counties is burning. —Detroit News.

Bought for cash and at low rates and are being sold at lower prices than ever, is the fine line of Drugs, Confectionery, Stationery, and Cigars and Tobaccos, at L. Fournier & Co.'s Drug and Book Store.

Drs. Woodworth, Thatcher, Palmer, Postmaster Finn, Lawyer Hadley, Indian Wm. Isaacs, and two gentlemen whose names we have forgotten, all of Grayling, were in town yesterday and to-day. —Otsego Co. Independent.

Stated by H. B. Cochran, druggist, Lancaster, Pa.: "Have guaranteed over 300 bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters for dyspepsia, sour stomach, bilious attacks, liver and kidney troubles."

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for Consumption, loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 25 cents per bottle.

GROUP WHOOPING COUGH and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shilo's Cure. For sale by N. H. Traver.

Dr. F. F. Thatcher, of Grayling, was transacting business in town on Wednesday. —Otsego Co. Herald.

Mrs. F. F. Thatcher, of Grayling, was the guest of Mrs. Alex. McFarlane, Wednesday. —Otsego Co. Herald.

There were four candidates for ex-amination before the U. S. Pension Board this week, three being from Crawford County. —Otsego Co. Herald.

Merchant J. M. Finn, Attorney J. O. Hadley and Joe Jones, of Grayling, partook of ye editor and wife's hospitality Wednesday. —Otsego Co. Herald.

M. A. McKee, Esq., of the Chelanati Evening Post arrived in Grayling last Thursday, and J. M. Finn at once took him off on a fishing excursion down the Manistee River, from which they returned on Saturday evening, having caught 24 grayling, and had a good time.

Rev. Wm. Putnam is spending a few weeks visiting his old home in Mason. —Otsego Co. Herald.

J. O. Hadley, of Grayling, was in town Tuesday. Being a good Mason he fraternized with the Brethren. —Otsego Co. Herald.

Messrs. Deekrow & Owens, of Grayling, are putting down a drive well for J. J. Miller this week. The well is 100 feet deep. They expect to put down more in this locality. —Otsego Co. Herald.

The Otsego Co. Herald, says: "Drum Major W. H. H. Cooper led the Gaylord City Band through the principal streets of Cheboygan, Monday, and attracted a good deal of attention with his red uniform and fine bearing." Just so. As a figure head he is a success.

The Michigan Central Railroad will run an excursion train from Jackson to Mackinaw, on Thursday July 29th. Fare from Grayling to Mackinaw and return, \$1.50. Tickets good for four days.

The work done by McCullough, never fails to give satisfaction. If you want a pair of hand made shoes or boots, of his own work, warranted to neither rip, ravel or cut in the eye, call on him and leave your measure.

Hon. O. Palmer, proprietor of the Grayling Avalanche, made us a fraternal call Tuesday. He was attending the committee meeting of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Reunion, which is to be held at this place the 18th and 19th of next month. —Otsego Co. Herald.

J. Maurice Finn, postmaster at Grayling, and J. O. Hadley, were in town Wednesday looking after some head matters. Mr. Finn has great hopes that Grayling will succeed in getting the U. S. Land Office. There can be no doubt but Grayling is a good point for it and Gaylord people, irrespective of politics, wish it may be located there. —Otsego Co. News.

Higgins Lake is becoming quite a favorite summer resort for some West Bay Cityans. Mrs. J. H. Plum left yesterday with her family, and will spend several weeks there. It is said to be one of the pleasant and most health-giving spots in Michigan. —Bay City Tribune.

Blodgett & Byrne have sold their warehouse at Rosecommon to John Mason and have begun the erection of another on the Manistee switch, which branches from the Michigan Central four miles from Grayling. It is reported that the firm's headquarters will be removed from Rosecommon to the new house. —Bay City Tribune.

Dr. Thayer, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., has been some days at his farm in Center Plains, and expresses himself well satisfied with the prospects of this country. He has three men constantly employed in clearing and getting ready for crops. He is also investigating the raising of Peppercorn on the plains and believes it to be a success, which if true, is well worth the consideration of our people.

How it Looks.

Early in the week we took a little ride through the country north-east from the village, making our first stop at the farm of C. B. Johnson, where we found a garden that would satisfy anyone notwithstanding the summer's drought. All sorts of vegetables were in great abundance and of quality not to be excelled in any climate. A good field of rye is just ready for the harvest. His winter wheat is badly winter-killed, and spring wheat and oats are greatly shortened by dry weather, but are of good color and filling well. He has a field of clover that is even and thick, but has not had water enough to make hay.

From there we drove to Archie Walker's on the same section and were thoroughly surprised at the work he has done this season. There must be over thirty acres in grain which will give more than half an average crop, which is an excellent showing for this season, and his potatoes and corn promise a fine yield. His farm is being well-fenced and everything looks tidy and neat. We predict a model farm in the near future, for he has a good soil as need be, a rich gravelly loam, and evidently knows how to handle it.

The next stop was at the home of A. C. Wilcox. A field of welcome oats is the best we have seen this year, the straw being fair height and the heads long and well-filled. Of course the lack of rain has effected everything, but he has enough to prevent discouragement, and his garden alone would feed a large family who could secure large enjoyment in the beautiful display of flowers in front of the house which exceeds anything we have seen in this country.

A. J. Rose was looking over his possessions as we came along and does not seem at all disheartened. A large field of rye is in shock and winter wheat is now ready for the sickle. Oats are growing well, if short straw and long heads can be called well, and his garden teems with abundance. His family are luxuriating in raspberries which are perfection in growth, yield and flavor. Our reflections after examination of these places lead us to decide that Crawford County promises to equal the best; that our soil resists drought as well as any; and that our agricultural future will prove a success.

Duane Willet, of Forest, was in the city Friday last, and made this office a friendly call. He got his eyes on one of those large sectional State maps and on learning the price immediately became the owner of one. —Otsego Independent.

The Republican County Convention on yesterday, elected delegates to the different conventions as follows: State Convention—G. Palmer. Congressional—M. J. Coyne. Senatorial—J. M. Jones.

Representative—M. D. Osband and Wm. Woodburn.

Application has been made at headquarters for a new post of the grand army of the republic, to be located at Inland, Benzie county, and the same will be numbered somewhere in the vicinity of 360. This indicates that the department of Michigan is steadily growing in numbers. —Det. Journal.

Cheney Items.

Rev. L. F. Hatt, assisted by Rev. Arms, are holding protracted meetings in Cheney. The meetings are held in a tent, which is crowded both afternoon and evening. Quite a number of converts is the result.

Mr. J. A. Barkey of Center Plains, has two acres of as good potatoes as can be seen in the County. Other crops accordingly.

W. G. M.

Fredericville Squibs.

Business booming. Hay nearly done.

F. L. Barker has commenced cutting his wheat.

M. S. Dilley has got the bill stuff saved for the Town Hall and Mr. Barber intends to commence work on it this week.

D. Flagg and T. G. High are doing a rushing business in the way of repairing wagons, buggies and farm implements.

Tanbark is a staple now in this place, in which C. W. Wright is dealing extensively.

Mrs. H. P. P. Schmidt has had her Hotel newly painted, which adds greatly to the appearance of the same.

P. Valentine says he is selling good farmers' butter for 12 1/2 cents per lb. Who can beat that in this town? Palmer is doing a good business.

Mrs. M. D. Osband has returned home from Lansing, where she was visiting friends and relatives for a few weeks.

Rev. Wm. Putnam is away for a two weeks stay visiting friends in Mason and C. E. Hicks is officiating in the Post Office during his absence.

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Democratic Caucus.

There will be a caucus of the democratic at the Town Hall, on Monday Aug. 8th, at 7 o'clock, p. m. for the purpose of electing delegates to the Democratic County Convention.

By order of Township Com.

Pioneer Picnic.

The Annual Picnic of the Crawford County Pioneer Society will be held at Portage Lake, August 27. Ample arrangements will be made by the executive committee for the accommodation of all; and it is expected that the entire County will so arrange their business that they may be present and enjoy the day.

J. O. HADLEY, PRES.

Democratic County Convention.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a Democratic County Convention held in the Court House, in the village of Grayling, on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1886, at 2 P. M., for the purpose of electing delegates to the State, Congressional, Judicial, Representative and Senatorial conventions. Each township will be entitled to one delegate to each 20 votes cast in 1884, or fraction thereof. Each delegate must produce certificates from the several township committees to secure admission.

J. MAURICE FINN, CHAIRMAN.

For Sale.

W. Nichols will sell his residence on Peninsular Avenue, on favorable terms.

For Sale.

For Sale—Forty acres of land on Higgins Lake, west of the resorts. Price \$80.00. Inquire at this office.

Residence For Sale.

FOR SALE—a residence in Grayling, in good location, on reasonable terms for less than it is really worth. For terms, etc., inquire at this office. July 8, '86.

Shingles for Sale.

I HAVE a car load of Cull Shingles for sale which I will sell at reasonable prices, delivered on car. Address, S. W. SHAW, July 1st, '86, Fredericville, Mich.

For Sale.

80 acres of choice hard-wood farming land in the township of Maple Forest, with between 15 and 20 acres of improvents, with log house and barn thereon, convenient to school &c. Also 80 acres within 1 mile of the village of Fredericville, is watered by the Au Sable river, about 5 acres cleared, and good farming land. The above property will be sold cheap for cash. Property can be seen on application. Call on or address MARK S. DILLEY, Fredericville, Mich.

## MICHIGAN CENTRAL

The Niagara Falls Route.

MACKINAW DIVISION.

TOOK EFFECT MAY 30th, '86.

GOING NORTH.

Exp. Mail. P. M. P. M.

Detroit, Iv. 9 00 a.m. 11 00 a.m.

Chicago, 9 30 a.m. 11 30 a.m.

Jackson, 4 30 p.m. 7 00 p.m.

Bay City, 10 00 a.m. 1 10 p.m.

Pineauing, 11 00 a.m. 2 10 p.m.

Algon, 11 30 a.m. 2 40 p.m.

West Branch, 12 10 p.m. 3 20 p.m.

Rosecommon, 1 30 p.m. 4 40 p.m.

Grayling, 1 55 p.m. 5 05 p.m.

GRAYLING, Arr. 5 10 p.m.

GRAYLING, Dep. 5 30 p.m.

Fredericville, 5 55 p.m. 9 05 p.m.

Gaylord, 6 10 p.m. 9 20 p.m.

Vanderbilt, 6 35 p.m. 9 45 p.m.

Indian River, 6 50 p.m. 10 00 p.m.

Cheboygan, 7 15 p.m. 10 25 p.m.

Mackinaw City, 7 40 p.m. 10 50 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

P. M. A. M. A. M.

Mackinaw City, 10 00 a.m. 8 45 a.m.

Cheboygan, 10 40 a.m. 9 25 a.m.

Indian River, 11 20 a.m. 10 05 a.m.

Vanderbilt, 12 15 p.m. 10 45 a.m.

Gaylord, 12 35 p.m. 11 05 a.m.

Fredericville, 1 35 p.m. 11 55 a.m.

GRAYLING, Arr. 1 55 p.m.

GRAYLING, Dep. 2 05 p.m.

Rosecommon, 2 30 p.m. 1 10 p.m.

St. Helens, 3 15 p.m. 1 40 p.m.

West Branch, 3 40 p.m. 2 10 p.m.

Algon, 4 25 p.m. 2 55 p.m.

Pineauing, 5 10 p.m. 3 40 p.m.

Bay City, 5 30 p.m. 4 00 p.m.

Detroit, Ar. 6 10 p.m. 4 40 p.m.

Chicago, 6 30 p.m. 5 00 p.m.

Jackson, 11 15 a.m. 10 30 p.m.

Connections—At Bay City with Bay City Division for Lapeer, Port Huron, Detroit and all points East, and with Southern Division for Jackson, Fort Wayne, Chicago and all points West and North. At Mackinaw City, with D. M. & M. R. R. for Marquette and points west. At Algon, with D. B. C. & A. R. R. for Ausable and Oscoda.

O. W. RUGGLES, Gen. Pass. & Ticket Agt. Chicago.

G. H. HICKS, Local Ticket Agt. Grayling.

Detroit, Mackinac and MARQUETTE R. R. Time Table.

Only direct route between the East and South and the Upper Peninsula of Michigan.

WEST Taking Effect EAST

READ DOWN. JUN. 21, '86. READ UP.

A. M. P. M. LV. AR. A. M. P. M.

9 00 6 45 DETROIT. 10 45 9 00

P. M. A. M. LV. AR. P. M. A. M.

10 30 6 50 ST. IGNACE 1 50 6 00

11 10 7 15 MORAG 2 01 6 12

11 40 7 35 PALMIS 2 14 6 34

12 10 7 45 OZARK 2 34 6 44

1 35 8 52 NEWBERRY 6 21 2 48

2 05 9 20 DOLLARTVILLE 6 51 3 18

2 35 9 54 McHENRY 6 50 3 15

3 05 10 24 REEDSBORO 4 15 3 35

3 35 10 54 MUSKIEGAN 3 38 3 50

4 05 11 24 AU TRAIN 3 57 4 10

4 35 11 54 ROSECOMMON 4 16 4 29

5 05 12 24 SAND RIVER 4 35 4 48

5 35 12 54 MARQUETTE 2 15 5 30

A. M. P. M. LV. AR. P. M. A. M.

6 30 12 30 MARQUETTE 2 15 5 30

7 00 1 00 LANSING 2 45 6 00

7 30 1 30 DETROIT 3 15 6 30

8 00 2 00 DETROIT 3 45 7 00

8 30 2 30 DETROIT 4 15 7 30



